### DEFENSE, NOT DEFIANCE, URGED BY MR. GARDNER

#### Massachusetts Representative and Gen. Gorgas Speakers at Twentieth Century Club Meeting.

Addresses by Representative Augus tus Gardner of Massachusetts and Maj. Gen. William C. Gorgas, surgeon general of the United States Army, composed the speaking program at this morning's meeting of the Twentieth Century Club, held in All Souls' Church.

Vice President Marshall was present. The necessity of inculcating a virile demand for defense and not defiance in the youth of this country was dwelt upon by Representative Gardner, who reviewed the list of previous wars in which the United States has participated. He contrasted the present helpless condition of China with that of the United States.

Following Mr. Gardner's address a resolution, introduced by Mrs. Gilbert Grosvenor, chairman of the civic sec-tion, was passed by the ciub whereby the demand of the Navy League that the President provide adequate defense

for the United States was indorsed. The theory that the female of the species is more deadly than the male was indorsed by Maj. Gen. Gorgas in his address on "Sanitation at Panama," when he described the methods by which the female mosquito transmits such tropical diseases as yellow fever,

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Tropical sanitation as it exists today is a development of the past twenty years, he said, and went on to explain the methods by which scientists established the facts upon which preventive measures are now based.

The ravages of tropical diseases upon the expeditionary forces of the United States in the Spanish-American war were described by the speaker, who said that within six months from the time anti-mosquito work was started in Havana in 1901 all trace of yellow fever and malaria had disappeared.

Gen. Gorgas closed his address with a discussion of general sanitation, Poverty of the poorest classes, he stated, is the greatest bar to improved health, and the means of alleviating this situation is of the greatest concern to all. General business of the club was taken up before and after the addresses.

WALL STREET RUMORS DENIED.

Mr. Morgan's Trip to Europe Not.

Connected With French Loan.

NEW YORK, February 2.—Ithwas reported in Wall street today that E. R. Stettinius, head of the export department of J. P. Morgan & Co., will shortly for duty.

Leave of absence for the duty with Field Company I. Signal Corps, Fort Ellis, Tex., and will repair to this city for duty.

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ment of J. P. Morgan & Co., will shortly follow Mr. Morgan to Europe. Mr. Morgan sailed yesterday on the Rotterdam for the reported purpose of arranging a new French credit of about \$250,000,000 in this country.

A denial that Mr. Morgan's visit to Europe was connected with negotiations for a new French government loan was made today by Octave Homberg, financial agent in this country for the French government. Mr. Homberg said:

"The French government is not at the present time in negotiation with J. A denial that Mr. Morgan's visit to

"The French government is not at the present time in negotiation with J. P. Morgan & Co., or any other bank or group of bankers, for a new loan or credit in the United States. The departure of Mr. J. P. Morgan for Europe, therefore, obviously has no connection whatever with any negotiation, since none exists."

ABANDON SHIP AFTER CRASH.

Assistant Surgeon F. H. Haigler, from the Texas to marine expeditionary force, Haiti.

Chief Boatswain G. Robertson, from naval station, Guantanamo, Cuba, to the Georgia.

Chief Boatswain John Atley, from the Georgia to naval station, Guantanamo, Cuba.

#### Sinking Japanese Steamer's Crew Transferred to Tanker.

NEW YORK, February 3 .- The new Japanese steamer Takata Maru, in col-San Francisco and return to San Diego. Hsion Tuesday night with the American oil tank steamer Silver Shell. about 200 miles southeast of Cape Race. for Haitian waters, stopping at Norfolk Newfoundland, was abandoned in a en route, to resume survey work in sinking condition after her crew was that vicinity. The Eagle will proceed transferred to the Silver Shell, according to a wireless message received here from Capt. Moses of the wrecked vessel.

that vicinity. The Eagle will proceed to Guantanamo bay from time to time during the survey season for stores and to give liberty.

The Trippe has been placed in ordinary at Boston, Mass.

The Silver Shell also was damaged, but, according to Capt. Moses, was proceeding to the English channel.

### D. C. Commissioner His Guest.

B. H. Warner gave a southern breakfast this morning at Chevy Chase, in honor of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia. Public questions were discussed.

Those present were Commissioner Brownlow E. C. Brandenburg, presi-dent Board of Trade; W. F. Gude, former president Chamber of Com-merce: Justice Peelle, and E. E. Stev-

#### Music Rides to Continue. The Thursday afternoon music rides

of the Riding and Hunt Club of Washington, followed by tea and dancing, are to be continued until further notice, according to announcement of George Oakley Totton, jr., chairman of the entertainment committee.

Due to a case of scarlet fever at St. John's College, Annapolis, the institution has suspended work for ten days or two weeks.

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With large shawl collar and woven-in pockets, in white and colors. This is positively a \$7.50 value. Extra special.

#### ARMY-NAVY.

Army Orders.

Maj. Albert C. Dalton, Quartermaster Corps, will repair to this city for consultation with the quartermaster general of the army on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster Corps. Lieut. Col. John W. Joyes, ordnance department, will visit Iona Island, N. Y., n official business pertaining to the operations of the ordnance department. The leave of absence granted Capt. Seorge D. Arrowsmith, Quartermaster Corps, is extended two months.

Sergt. of Ordnance George Jenck is placed upon the retired list at Rock Island Arsenal, Ill., and will repair to his home.

Leave of absence for one month is granted Maj. Albert C. Dalton, Quartermaster Corps, with permission to visit Santo Domingo.

First Lieut. William E. Mould, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the Missouri Military Academy, Mexico Mo. Private Samuel Kempler. Hospital Corps, at Fort Slocum, N. V., will be sent to the Walter Reed General Hospital. D. C., for duty.

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First Lieut. Howard C. Tatum, Sth. Cavalary, detailed in the Signal Corps, will proceed to Mission, Tex., for duty. Capt. Consuelo A. Seoane is relieved from duty as assistant to the signal officer, eastern department, and will proceed to the Canal Zone to assume command of the 3d Platoon, Telegraph Company H, Signal Corps.

First Lieut. Kinzie B. Edmunds will report for duty with Radio Company A, Signal Corps.

First Lieut. Sebring C. Megill, 5th Cavalry, detailed in the Signal Corps. will proceed to Fort Bliss, Tex., for duty.

The following changes of station of

Leave of absence for one month is granted Col. Edward A. Millar, 3d Field Artillery.

#### Naval Orders.

Lieut. W. O. Spears, to the North Dakota.

Lieut. W. P. Gaddis, from the Prometheus to the Maryland. Passed Assistant Surgeon E. O. J. Ey-

tinge, from Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal., to the Milwaukee.

#### Naval Movements.

The Buffalo, en route from the west coast of Mexico to San Diego, has been ordered to proceed from San Diego to The Eagle, at the Portsmouth, N. H., yard, will leave about the 21st instant

#### THERE IS A VAST ARMY

know what it is to enjoy sound, vibrating health-who would be surprised to suddenly gain that exhilarating vitality that robust health brings. Literally thousands without any particular sickness live in "general debility," as the doctors call it-have headaches, are tired and indifferent. To all such people we say with unmistakable earnestness - "Take Scott's Emulsion after meals for one month and allow its rare oil-food to enrich and enliven your blood, quicken your circulation, stimulate nutrition and aid nature to develop that real red-blooded life that means activity, enjoyment, success."

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Plain Colored Satin Messaline, with rich, high

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of white on plain grounds of 15 different 39c street shades. A yard.....

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Go Tomorrow,

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CHOICE, CHOICE, CHOICE, CHOICE,

In Hand-em-

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HERE IS NEWS EXTRAORDINARY!

A Floor Stock Disposal of Fresh, Dainty

White Undergarments

FROM THE BEST MAKERS OF FINE NOVELTY AND PLAIN TAILORED UNDERMUSLINS

We cleared the shelves, thus getting the lots at our own price, and, with the exception of one assortment, the garments have never

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For \$1.75 to \$2.25

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In Gowns, Com-

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Brocade Satin, 36 inches wide, for en-

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White Washable Corduroy, narrow wale, with a good velvet finish, desirable for dresses and separate skirts and coats; 31 inches wide. 30c

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In Gowns,

Combinations.

Chemise and

"All She Needs"

The combination underwear for little girls, with these special features: Buttons for skirt, tabs for garters, shoulder and waist adjustments, drop seat, no bunching, opening at side to allow child to dress and undress quickly. Hygienic construction, made of barred muslin with tight knee. Sizes 4 to 10 years.

Choice, 50c

Girls' Pajamas, \$1.25

Made of crepe or soisette, in white, pink or blue; coat finished with dainty silk frogs.

After-Stock-Taking Sale of

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All-wool serges, taffetas, veilings, voiles, cotton and wool checks, plaids and stripes, worth

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Printed Voiles, Printed Batistes, Silk and Cotton Pongees, Striped Madras, Ginghams, 36-inch Silk and Cotton Crepes, 27-inch Jacquard Seco Silks, and other popular wash fabrics. In white grounds with daintaily colored patterns, also in selfcolored figured effects, and plain colored materials.

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#### Venetian Cloth and Satin

Worth to \$1.00.

Tomorrow, a 4/c

Good lengths and the most wanted colors. These are the linings you want to line your new spring suit and coat, or for use in relining garments. See what you save.

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about Collars, etc.; \$1.00 

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# Corset Covers and

Made of crepe de chine, elaborately trimmed with lace, in flesh and white, also in satin with wide net and ribbon trimming in flesh and white, also some in gold and silver cloth. \$1 and \$1.25 values.

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In Gowns.

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DISCONTINUED STYLES, made from finest nainsooks and cambrics, trimmed with lace and embroidery. Garments that are perfect in fit and finish.

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Georgette and Lace Combinations, in white. Black Lace Blouses. Crepe de Chines in dark colors, such as navy and black. A few Satin Striped Blouses. In a variety of styles. Though the quantity is limited, yet there are all sizes in some styles, though not every size in every style.

Choice, Each, 50c Iomorrow. JJC

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300 Manufacturers' Samples

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Worth \$1.25 to \$2.50 each. Tapestry if in full size would be worth to \$8.00 each. Come early for choice.

Tapestry and Couch Cover Samples. size 52x30 inches; colors, patterns and mixture effects are of the prettiest.

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Sicevelens Velvet Blouses,

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Lingerie Blouses, broken lines, discovered in stocktaking; not all sizes in every style, but a big assortment of styles to select from; values to \$1.50.

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All are High Shoes taken from our regular stock, which is positive assurance to you of their quality and comfort. Button and lace styles, in both

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Pair for Values Pair for Values Pair for Values

Three Lot Sale" Lace Curtains Samples and Strips Lot 2— 29c

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Lot 1— 19c Samples, worth \$1.25 to \$1.98 if full size. They are Scotch lace samples, in ecru and white; 40 inches wide, 45 long; suitable for sash curtains, lace scarfs, small windows, etc.

Lot 3— 59c

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Fine quality Scotch and

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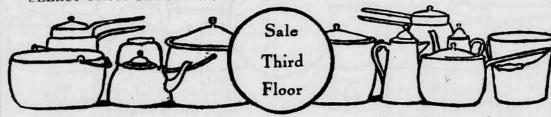
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Office Paus; heavy white lined; side handle; 47c cover; 8-qt. size.

Water Pails; seamless heavy white lined; atrong ball handle; 12 quart 47c

Teapots; heavy white lined; side handle: 29c cover; 3-pint size.

Straight Saucepans, beavy white lined; long handle; cover; 10-pint 29c lined; side handle; 29c lined; side handle; 29c lined; side handle; 29c lined; ball handle; cover; 5-pint lined; ball handle; cover; 5-pint lined; strong ball handle; lined; strong ball handle; lined; strong ball handle; lined; strong ball handle; lined; lined; size lined; long handle; 3-quart sze.

Frying Pans; heavy white lined; long handle; 29c lined; long handle; long

Rice Boilers, heavy white lined; long handle; 29c cover; 2-pint size..... Teapots, heavy white lined; side handle; cover; 4- 29c Coffee Pots, heavy white lined; side handle; 29c cover; 4-pint bise.

Kilk Boilers; heavy white lined; long handle; 29c cover; 5-pint size.

Berlin Kettles; seamless heavy white lined; ball handle; cover; 7-pint 29c size

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